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Millions of subscibers have turned to XM radio and similar satellite radio services because local radio is no longer tolerable! Listeners are willing to spend money to hear more than the same 5 dreary "oldies" or some nut raving about his phobias that local radio has become. Paying to also hear local traffic and weather news is an option that should be available to any American. To do otherwise is rejecting the principles of competition and capitalism that made this nation strong. Please reject the NAB's petition 04-160. Force the conglomerates who have taken over our public air waves to compete and improve their services. Monopolies are not American!